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ANARCHISTS

Foiled in Attempt to Destroy St. Patrick's Cathedral, New York City.

Assassination and Reign of Terror Part of the Diabolical Scheme.

Enduring Monument to Zeal of the Catholics of Great Metropolis.

CULPRITS ADMIT THEIR GUILT

The most diabolical anarchistic plot ever attempted in this country, involving assassination and the inauguration of a reign of loot and terror in New York City, was frustrated Tuesday morning by the police after they had arrested under dramatic circumstances a man who had just placed bombs in St. Patrick's Cathedral, where several hundred persons were worshipping. The arrest of two anarchists, Frank Abaro and Charles Carbone, admitted their guilt and on Wednesday were indicted, the minimum penalty for their crime being twenty-five years in State prison.

So carefully had the police worked out their plans that the anarchist was even allowed to light the fuse of one of the bombs which he carried into the Cathedral, despite the fact that the explosives were powerful enough to have badly damaged the edifice and possibly killed many in it. Scarcely had the bomb-carrier ignited the fuse when one of a half a hundred disguised detectives, who were stationed in and about the church, crushed the sputtering thread under his heel and in another moment the plotter was taken into custody just as he was about to light the fuse of the other destructive instrument.

The history of St. Patrick's Cathedral dates back to 1784, and when the church was consecrated in 1786 New York's population was about 25,000, only 400 of whom were Catholics.

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First an attempt was made to burn the Cathedral. Then a mob shattered the windows of both the Cathedral and the Bishop's house, and finally a monster torchlight procession was formed in City Hall Park with the purpose of marching to the Cathedral and burning it. But the sinister plan was frustrated. Bishop Hughes, ever on the alert, filled the Cathedral and the adjoining graveyard with armed men, and the ancestors of our modern Guardians of Liberty and their ilk, hearing of the proposed defense, avoided the Cathedral that night. But the attacks did not cease. Indeed until 1855 opposition to Catholics was still so great that the Cathedral and other Catholic churches often had to be guarded at night by armed parishioners. Archbishop Hughes, in the name of the Bishops of the Province, issued a pastoral letter exhorting all the faithful to bear themselves with dignity and patience during these "Knownothings" persecutions.

Archbishop Hughes had been anxious to begin the erection of a Cathedral which should serve as an enduring monument to the zeal of the Catholics of New York City. As early as 1850 he had conceived the idea, but not until 1858 were the plans definitely agreed upon. When the cornerstone was laid in 1858 the site was as much a wilderness as old St. Patrick's had been in 1808. The vast concourse, numbering at least 100,000, of which a large proportion were Protestants, attended the ceremony. The secular papers spoke of it without exception in terms of praise and admiration. Again the Cathedral was preaching its sermon of Catholic loyalty and fidelity. St. Patrick's was formally opened and blessed May 25, 1879.

October 5, 1910, witnessed the consecration of the great new Cathedral. Three Cardinals presided at this notable ecclesiastical function, Cardinal Vincenzo Vannutelli, Papal Legate to the Eucharistic Congress at Montreal, representing His Holiness the late Pope Pius X; Cardinal Gibbons, representing the American church, and Cardinal Lourie, Primate of all Ireland, calling to remembrance Ireland's patron saint—the patron saint of the Cathedral. It was indeed a day of rejoicing throughout the hierarchy. Again the Cathedral was telling to the world the triumphant glory of the Catholic faith. It is estimated that 10,000 persons assisted at the mass of consecration while thousands of others were unable to gain admittance.

The eloquent Archbishop of St. Louis, the Most Rev. John J. Glennon, delivered the sermon of consecration and referred to the Cathedral as "a monument standing firmly Christian in its beauty and sternness, the seat that men could not find their King; without a spot or stain, pure and as bright as the rising day."

ARKANSAS CONVENT BILL.

The Arkansas Senate passed the A. P. A. convent inspection bill on Tuesday. It having already passed the House, the bill being known as the Posey bill and provides that all convents, schools, hospitals and detention homes shall at all times be open to inspection by the Sheriff, grand jury or upon petition of twenty citizens. The bill will now be sent to Gov. Hayes for signature and if made a law will be effective within sixty days. If this bill becomes a law religious liberty in Arkansas will soon be a travesty, as any twenty citizens of the Guardians of Liberty or Junior Order will always be ready to harass the Catholic nuns with an investigation, where the verdict is rendered in advance and sure to be one of a venomous nature, calculated to put the institution in bad repute in addition to stirring up strife between citizens. This committee can also prearrange with some inmate, whom they have placed in the institution, to create a disturbance simultaneously with the arrival of the investigators. A bill of the same sort has been introduced in the Colorado and Indiana legislatures. In Arkansas the last religious census gives the Catholics as numbering only 32,000, while the Protestants of all denominations number 322,000. To the credit of the latter, many opposed the passage of the bill, and at a meeting of Protestants in Pine Bluff men of different Protestant denominations drafted a petition opposing the bill, one of the signers being Circuit Judge A. B. Grace, who in a personal letter to Senator White said:

My Dear Senator: I have just signed a paper asking you to vote against the Posey inspection bill. In addition I wish to say that I am absolutely sure that public sentiment in this county does not endorse such a vicious, un-American measure, which is nothing but a part of the fight now being made on the Catholic church throughout the country by a few rabid anti-Catholics.

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HOPE TO LEAD.

Members of Mackin Council held an enthusiastic meeting, when the organization of the athletic club was perfected and the following officers chosen: Chairman, George J. Thornton; Secretary, William G. Buckel; Athletic Board, George J. Thornton, John R. Barry, L. S. Cuniff, Charles Rihm and A. C. Spady. Last year Mackin Council was represented in the Twin City League by a strong baseball team and this winter had one of the best basketball teams in the city, having lost but two of the seventeen games played. The young men of Mackin are working hard to place the West End on the map in athletics, and hope to be well in the lead at the finish of the coming season. Manager Hirsch has called a meeting for tomorrow afternoon of all who aspire to places on Mackin's baseball team. He is getting ready for the coming season and asserts that his lineup will not be surpassed by any amateur team in the city.

READY TO BUILD.

Last Tuesday Vicar General Cronin submitted plans to Building Inspector O'Sullivan for the imposing new St. Patrick's parochial school building to be erected on Market street, between Fifteenth and Sixteenth. The structure will be of stone and brick, two stories high, and is to contain eight class rooms and a reception hall, with play room in the basement. It will cost approximately \$40,000 and work on it will begin within the next few days. It will accommodate 400 school children, and will be a great improvement to this part of Market street.

A. P. A.

Organs Having Hard Time Concealing Records of Their Lecturers.

Peril Advocates Use of Bullets After a Trial With Ballots.

Record of L. J. King, Who Was Recently Mobbed in New Jersey.

AN IMPORTATION FROM CANADA

The A. P. A. sheet known as the Peril, published at Wilkesboro, N. C., is very indignant at the expose of the past record of Black, who posed as an ex-priest, the Peril saying that the Kentucky Irish American lied about the Texas tragedy and that Black was an ex-priest and has proven it. The Peril then reprints part of the article from these columns, but fails to republish the challenge of Rev. J. J. Flanagan, a priest of Moundsville, W. Va., in which he offers \$500 reward to any of Black's friends if they can prove that Black or his parents were even Catholics. The Peril also forgets to mention about Black's companion, Sadie Allison, taken from the House of the Good Shepherd at Little Rock, being the daughter of deaf and dumb parents and traveling with Black as an ex-nun, being styled in one place as his adopted daughter, while to others he spoke of her as his cousin.

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COMING EVENTS.

March 17—St. Patrick's day celebration, under auspices of A. O. H. in Bertrand Hall.

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April 4—"The District Attorney," under auspices of the Columbia Athletic Club, at Macaulay's Theater.

April 7-8—Minstrel show and concert for St. Augustine's church in school hall.

April 13—Euchre and lotto by Young Ladies' Sodality at Trinity Hall.

April 22—Euchre and lotto by Trinity Council in hall, afternoon and evening.

Early in life he took up his anti-Catholic work in parts of Canada, but later on came to the United States for a more profitable field. His mother, who resides at St. John, New Brunswick, stated that King was always a bad boy and that of her dozen children only one, a girl, is a practical Catholic. King's wife, who claims to be an ex-nun, was never even a Catholic. In 1909 King was arrested in Huntington, W. Va., for verbal filth, and was ordered out of town later on by the Methodist Mayor of Phoenix, Ariz., for slanderous remarks about the women of Phoenix. In Los Angeles he was forced to admit he was never a priest. This class of fakers must indeed laugh in their sleeves at the fanatics who in their hopeless frenzy against the Catholic church pay out their money to hear a lot of evil and obscene language and made to order stories to suit the audience.

TAKES LAST VOW.

Mr. and Mrs. George J. Butler leave today for St. Catherine's Convent in Marion county, where tomorrow their daughter Anna will take the black veil, thus becoming a full member of the Sisterhood of the Dominican order. Miss Butler before her entry into the order was a popular member of the circle in which she moved, being graced with beauty and culture. She concluded to devote her life to teaching and joined the Dominican Sisterhood with the consent of her parents. Thirteen other young women will take the black veil at the same time as Miss Butler. The latter will be known by the initials of her name.

"If any person wishes to consider the rights of Catholics in this country," said Bishop Conroy, "let him consider that Catholic human beings were very active here twenty-four years before Luther's so-called reformation. And after this let us consider a few of the following named who figured prominently in our history—Jack Barry, Pulaski, Kosciusko, LaFayette. A group of Catholic priests in France supplied LaFayette and his companions with the means of assisting their American friends. History tells us that Catholics figured prominently in the wars of this country, and consequently we are reasonably permitted to conclude that Catholics have some right in this country. If I wished to know the real spirit of a Catholic toward our flag I would consult his companion in war, and thus avoid all allusions. Can anyone doubt the patriotism of the honest Phil Sheridan, Johnson, Gen. Rosecrans and many others that could be mentioned. Let us remember that one-sixth of the Union army were of Irish extraction and nine-tenths of these were Catholics of other nationalities that fought in the same war. Statistics tell us that where patriotism, fighting for liberty and justice, are concerned, Catholics have always appeared among the leaders, for example, Lord Baltimore securing religious liberty in Maryland."

The speaker read the utterances of men like Washington and Webster in which the bravery and patriotism of Catholics were pointed out. He said that the propaganda against the Catholic church always manifested itself about fifteen years after the close of a war. Men who fought with the Catholics knew of their worth to the country and it was necessary that their deeds before the attacks could be made. So-called ex-priests and nuns uttered slanders and calumnies for money, said the speaker. He cited an instance where passengers on a street car in a large city were horrified at seeing a nun enter and carry on a bold flirtation with the men aboard. When she left the car two men followed her. She entered a convent and took off her disguise. The men who followed saw it was a man and what they did to him led to a call for the hospital ambulance.

Competent authorities of the Protestant church, said the Bishop, have investigated similar incidents and have found imposters back of it all. He said that if Catholics were to perpetrate such deeds against the Protestant churches they would soon learn that it could not be tolerated, and it shouldn't be tolerated.

If the charges made against the Catholics are true, asked the speaker, why are they not brought before the courts and made to suffer the penalty the law decrees. But there are many fair-minded men among the Protestant churches, continued Bishop Conroy, who do not approve of the anti-Catholic campaign. He read extracts from prominent Protestant clergymen to bear out his assertion. If the church were overthrown, he asserted, the country would lose its strongest bulwark for law and order and its greatest protest against organizations antagonistic to the nation.

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WHAT FIGURES SHOW.

In a recent issue there appeared some figures which tell a story gratifying to Catholics, but painful to the anti. These figures tell of the growth of the Catholic church in this country in the past decade, during which time nine States were added to the Catholic column. Of the forty-eight States in the Union nineteen are Catholic and twenty-nine are Protestant. Eliminating the negro population, most of which

is Protestant, it appears that the majority of the citizens of this country are Catholic—16,000,000 Catholics and 15,000,000 Protestants. In the South Catholics are few in comparison to those of the North and East, but the number is increasing and the additions to the church come from the ranks of the enlightened. Among the colored people good missionary work is being done and many of that race are joining the church and the next census, ten years hence, will tell no doubt of even a greater increase in the number of Catholics in the United States and this in spite of persecution.

MEANS ANOTHER CHECK.

The House Committee on Education has favorably reported the bill to create the University of the United States. This is the beginning of the movement to put education under the control of the Government and to create a monopoly of education. The bill did not pass at this session of Congress, but it will come up again. It is the entering wedge. The dangers of a Government monopoly of education are many. Some of them were pointed out by Bishop Dowling in his able address at the Creighton University Founders' day banquet a few weeks ago. It will be a sorry day for this country when private initiative along educational

lines and the State will take the function of being an educator. Then liberty will not long remain to our people.

The different States already support at least a score of large universities. It is not to be expected that a national university will engage in a different line of work so as not to compete with them. The proposed national university would be only one more school, at the best. At the worst, it would mean that the National Government is undertaking a function for which the constitution makes no provision. Heretofore education has been wisely left to the various States and to those private organizations that choose to engage in it. Now it is proposed to build up a national university which in time will necessitate a whole system of national education. In the view of the True Voice, it will mean another check upon the freedom of education.

CONVINCING.

Another splendid argument in favor of the parochial school was evidenced this past week in the report of School Superintendent W. P. King, of Newport, Ky. The statistics showed that 15 per cent. of all the boys in the public schools are without religious training; another 15 per cent. have had religious training but do not attend church, 70 per cent. reporting that they attend church. Twelve per cent. of the boys in the sixth grade were cigarette smokers and 10 per cent. of the boys between the third and eighth grades admitted that some one in authority countenanced their being on the streets as late as 11 o'clock.

NO DIFFERENCE.

Germany allowed the United States to send food and supplies to the non-combatants in Belgium while England forbids this country and uses high-handed methods to enforce its order of not allowing this country to even sell food and supplies to the non-combatants in Germany. Will some of John Bull's paid press agents please explain the difference between a starving Belgian and a starving German family?

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SOCIETY.

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Miss Katie Cummings has been visiting her summer home at Bardstown Junction.

Waalter J. Pilson, the local vocalist, has been laid up with an attack of rheumatism.

Miss Nancy Mooney was a recent visitor with Mrs. J. M. Kennedy at Pleasure Ridge.

Mrs. J. Bryan was the guest for a week of her sister, Miss Josephine Murphy, in Frankfort.

Miss Virginia Watson visited in Bardstown last week, the guest of Richard Edelen.

Mrs. Phil B. Thompson was in Shepherdsville last week visiting her sister, Mrs. Oro Lutes.

Miss Sudie O'Bryan went to New Hope last week to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney O'Bryan.

Mrs. L. McCloy, of Clifton, has returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Floyd Burns, in Lexington.

Mrs. James McKenna, of Fairfield, has returned from a month's visit with friends in Minneapolis.

Mrs. James Conway, Bolling avenue, had as her guest the past week Mrs. Blanche Conway, of Chicago.

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Police Capt. M. J. Hogan and Frank Coblen left Sunday night for Hot Springs, where they will rest recuperate for about ten days.

William J. Brady, the plumber, who has been laid up with an injured limb, was removed to St. Joseph's Infirmary on Tuesday.

Albert D. Gregg, who recently went to Cleveland, was here on a business trip this week and paid a visit to some of his old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Weiss returned last week after being the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Magruder at Lebanon Junction.

Martin Conniff has been wearing a benign smile since the visit of the Stork and the arrival of a pretty baby at his home, 1212 South Floyd street.

Mrs. George Hoeritz, who has been seriously ill for several weeks, has almost entirely recovered, to the great relief of her family and many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Kiefer announce the engagement of their daughter Josephine to Joseph J. Eisenbels. The wedding will take place in June.

Mrs. Frank J. Schuster, of Oakdale, entertained a number of friends at an elaborate dinner Sunday evening in honor of her husband's birthday.

Mrs. James T. Larkin and daughter, Mrs. Clinton Koerner, and children and Mrs. W. Koerner have returned from a two weeks' stay with Mrs. William Kennedy and Mrs. W. Larkin in Frankfort.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Carr and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas O'Neill, of Jeffersonville, and Miss Mollie Boyer were entertained at Sunday dinner by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Crawford while visiting at Charlestown.

William J. Chawk, of South Floyd street, arrived home Sunday evening from his long business trip through the Northwest and is now busy becoming acquainted with a pretty little baby girl who arrived during his absence.

LOUVAIN OPENING.

Monsignor Deploige, President of Louvain University, had an audience with the Pope, at which he explained the extent of the damage to the college. The Pontiff was greatly impressed and much grieved over the story told by Monsignor Deploige and promised to raise the necessary funds to repair the damage to the university with the aid of the Catholics of the world.

EXPOSITION INVOCATION.

The invocation at the opening of the Panama-Pacific Exposition in San Francisco was delivered by

What Does Pay Day Mean to You?

Do you spend carelessly thinking only of the next pay envelope to come?

An account with this Safe, Conservative, 60-Year Bank will stop the leaks. It will make one mindful of the little expenditures and more careful of the large ones.

With money in bank on "Pay Day" the desire to see it grow larger urges you to add to it right straight along.

We give you safety and 3 per cent on time, and savings accounts.

GERMAN INSURANCE BANK
Under the Big Clock—Second and Market.

State-Government Supervision.

TRINITY COUNCIL.

Trinity Council, Y. M. I., had one of the most interesting meetings in a long time last Monday evening, when the Building Committee reported that on Saturday evening contracts were awarded for the erection of their gymnasium, and stated that the work would start the next day. In accordance with the committee's promise the work was started Tuesday morning, and the lot in the rear of their building has been a busy place since. It is expected that the addition will be completed by June 1. One of the principal features in the new addition will be the gymnasium, which will be 45x110 feet, making it one of the largest in the city. Applications for membership are being received at each meeting, and when the new addition is completed Trinity expects to have an initiation with a class of 200 members. B. J. Osterholt, Chairman of the Euchre Committee, reported that his committee expects to give a euchre and lotto about April 21. It was also announced that next Monday evening a wrestling match will be given during the progress of the meeting by Joseph Weber and Robert Kaiser. On the same evening B. J. Osterholt will deliver an interesting lecture. Arrangements have been made for the members to receive holy communion in a body at St. Alloysius church on Sunday morning, March 28.

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Police Capt. M. J. Hogan and Frank Coblen left Sunday night for Hot Springs, where they will rest recuperate for about ten days.

William J. Brady, the plumber, who has been laid up with an injured limb, was removed to St. Joseph's Infirmary on Tuesday.

Albert D. Gregg, who recently went to Cleveland, was here on a business trip this week and paid a visit to some of his old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Weiss returned last week after being the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Magruder at Lebanon Junction.

Martin Conniff has been wearing a benign smile since the visit of the Stork and the arrival of a pretty baby at his home, 1212 South Floyd street.

Mrs. George Hoeritz, who has been seriously ill for several weeks, has almost entirely recovered, to the great relief of her family and many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Kiefer announce the engagement of their daughter Josephine to Joseph J. Eisenbels. The wedding will take place in June.

Mrs. Frank J. Schuster, of Oakdale, entertained a number of friends at an elaborate dinner Sunday evening in honor of her husband's birthday.

Mrs. James T. Larkin and daughter, Mrs. Clinton Koerner, and children and Mrs. W. Koerner have returned from a two weeks' stay with Mrs. William Kennedy and Mrs. W. Larkin in Frankfort.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Carr and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas O'Neill, of Jeffersonville, and Miss Mollie Boyer were entertained at Sunday dinner by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Crawford while visiting at Charlestown.

William J. Chawk, of South Floyd street, arrived home Sunday evening from his long business trip through the Northwest and is now busy becoming acquainted with a pretty little baby girl who arrived during his absence.

LOUVAIN OPENING.

Monsignor Deploige, President of Louvain University, had an audience with the Pope, at which he explained the extent of the damage to the college. The Pontiff was greatly impressed and much grieved over the story told by Monsignor Deploige and promised to raise the necessary funds to repair the damage to the university with the aid of the Catholics of the world.

THEY GET LONG.

Robert J. Long, editor and publisher of the American Citizen, an anti-Catholic weekly published in Rochester, was arrested last week on a charge of criminal libel at the request of the Boston police.

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Greeley, Neb., will have a big spring initiation.

Texas has thirty-one councils and about 5,000 members.

There was a good initiation on Sunday at McCook, Neb.

The Texas State convention will convene in Galveston on May 11.

With the initiation after Easter the council at Richmond, Ind., will have over 200 members.

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HIBERNIANS.

What They Have Been Doing
the Past Week—General
News Notes.

Division 4 will meet next Monday and Division 1 on Thursday.

Last month seventy-five candidates were initiated at Portland, Ore.

Brooklyn's thirty-five divisions will march in the St. Patrick's day parade.

Hibernians were much pleased to greet Martin Cusick on the street the past week.

Hon. W. Bourke Cochran will be the orator at the St. Patrick's day celebration in Detroit.

Catherine O'Brien, County President, has instituted a promising auxiliary at Kennett Square, Pa.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Columbus, Ohio, gave a donation party this week for the Sisters of the Sick Poor.

Shortly after Easter there will be a big initiation at Portland, Ore., where the membership has become very strong.

Rev. Father J. C. Galligan, who died on Washington's birthday at Pottsville, was State Chaplain for Pennsylvania.

Several sites are under consideration for the proposed new division to be erected by the Hibernians at St. Paul, Minn.

Attorney J. J. Kavanagh, of Division 4, will deliver a St. Patrick's day oration at the Irish concert under auspices of the St. Paul church.

Hibernians of South Omaha will parade on the morning of March 17, and in the evening there will be an entertainment in honor of Erin's saint.

Division 60 of Boston, composed mostly of newspaper workers, is looked upon as one of the most progressive divisions affiliated with the order.

Division 2 had a good meeting Wednesday night. President Joe Lynch and his men are moving forward nicely and will soon have an initiation.

Rev. Father Patrick Tallon, of St. Louis, will be the principal speaker for the Hibernians of Indianapolis at their St. Patrick's day celebration.

Tomorrow the Ladies' Auxiliary, the four divisions and the Hibernian Rifles will make their annual holy communion at St. Patrick's church, Columbus, Ohio.

The Ladies' Auxiliary at Rockville, Conn., is enjoying a wave of prosperity. During February seventeen new members were initiated and three applications received.

President Mark Ryan wants all the members present at the next meeting of Division 1, when he will announce the teams that will conduct the membership contest.

Division 4 will attend a St. Patrick's day mass for benefit of the members at the Dominican church and in the afternoon will participate in flag raising over Bertrand Hall.

Cincinnati Hibernians will hold their St. Patrick's day celebration in Holy Trinity Hall. There will be Irish songs and music and the Kentucky State Chaplain, Rev. Thomas J. McCaffery, will deliver the address.

Toledo Hibernians have secured the eloquent Rev. James H. Cotter as the principal speaker for their St. Patrick's day celebration. Right Rev. Bishop Schrems has accepted an invitation and if possible will attend.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of Indianapolis entertained with a buffet supper in honor of Washington's birthday. The members were in colonial dress and the hall was beautifully decorated, the central feature being a miniature cherry tree.

M'DERMOTT'S ROLE.

In the intermission between the stereopticon pictures of China last Sunday evening Father Espelage, the lecturer, stated that he wished to exhibit to the audience the regalia or costume of a Chinese Mandarin and called for the nearest usher to try it on. The one chosen proved to be Councilman M. J. McDermott, who first donned the prayer hat, being a four-cornered box-like hat with two tails appended like queues, which caused a little ripple of laughter to go through the audience, but when the Councilman donned the long flowing robe with the assistance of Father Sylvester and John Foy there was an uproar. Gaudy is a mild term for a description of the gown, it containing elaborate designs in peacock colors of dragons, eagles, ourang-outangs, etc., and when the imitation Mandarin was requested to exhibit the costume better by walking in front of the white curtain several were overcome with laughter and had to be carried out. Mike states that they were jealous because of the inspiring figure he presented and were convulsed with rage instead of laughter. In addressing a salutation to his subject Father Sylvester addressed Mike as Yungh-Ching Ching, which according to the translation of John Hennessy means "Man with the funny walk."

MONT'S MIND.

Just one month ago occurred the death of little Daniel Hallahan on this earth, but we hope not to remember this date as his death, but as his birthday in heaven, for surely one as young and as innocent and as good as he was received the reward of those who die holy in God, and we, his sorrowing parents, sisters, brothers and little friends, will live with this consolation and hope to meet him again when we are called to give an account of our stewardship.

One precious to our hearts has gone. The voice we loved is stilled. The place made vacant in our home can never more be filled. Our Father in his wisdom called The boon his love had given; And though on earth the body lies, The soul is safe in heaven.

J. P. P.



Thanks God.

W. Hazelton, Pa., August, 1912.

The first attack of falling spells had innumerable and more since but two bottles of Pastor Koenig's Nerve Tonic removed the trouble and I thank God for what good the Tonic has done for me.

Mrs. G. Timmers, of Monroe, Ill., writes that her wife used Pastor Koenig's Nerve Tonic against nervousness induced by home-sickness. The results were so beneficial that she will not hesitate to again use it under similar conditions.

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Mr. T. Murphy, Vice Chairman of the Carlow Urban Council.

P. Collins has been elected Chairman of the Kells Urban District Council by seven votes to six for P. Garland.

The Mullingar District Council has approved of the scheme for a line of railway between Mullingar and Kells.

White gloves were presented to Judge Bodkin at Kilrush Quarter Sessions, there being no criminal cases for trial.

The death of Mrs. Anne Lardner, Monaghan, is much regretted. On the day of the funeral business was suspended in the town.

The appointment to the Magistracy of Messrs. Patrick Sloan, Newtowbutler, and Peter Cruden, Lisnaske, is announced.

While driving home to Clonberne, near Tuam, Edward Donohue, twenty-nine, was thrown from his cart and passed a few hours later.

The obsequies took place in Newry of Sister Mary Elizabeth Loughlin. She entered the convent in 1876 and was a native of Loughbrickland.

At a meeting of the Dundalk Urban Council T. P. McGahey was elected Chairman and S. H. Moynagh Vice Chairman of the council.

Michael Enright, representative to the Rathkeale District Council resigning his office as District Councillor.

Eugene Keane has been elected Master of the Westport Workhouse.

D. J. O'Connor, Assistant Clerk, and Patrick McGing were also candidates.

Thomas Leahy, merchant of Milltown Malbay, died while attending mass. Dr. Clancy and Rev. Father Enright were present when he passed away.

A verdict of accidental drowning was returned at an inquest at Celbridge on Patrick Gregan, of Dunboyne, whose body was found in the Grand canal.

The shop and recently erected sheds belonging to P. J. Kavanagh, Ballymurphy, have been destroyed by fire. The origin of the conflagration is unknown.

By twenty-six votes to twenty-three given for M. O'Connell, the Fermoy Guardians elected William Barry, Glenworth, relieving officer for the Ballyhooly district.

The engineer to the Listowel District Council, D. J. McMahon, has prepared a scheme for the provision of a water supply for Ballybunion. The estimated cost is \$1,500.

The death occurred in Cork of Alderman Daniel Cronin. Deceased was elected to the Corporation for the South ward four years ago, and succeeded his father, the late Richard Cronin, as Alderman.

Sincere regret is felt in Tipperary at the death, in his forty-second year, of William O'Meara. He was for several years a member of the Urban Council and was prominently identified with the social life of the town.

Very Rev. M. J. O'Reilly, President of St. Stanislaus' College, Bathurst, N. S. W., has been appointed President of St. Vincent's College, Castletown, in succession to the Very Rev. P. Cullen, who is shortly leaving for Australia.

The programme of Irish music of surpassing merit will be presented at the entertainment for the benefit of St. Paul's church at the Masonic Theatre on St. Patrick's night, March 17, under the direction of Prof. Patrick O'Sullivan. The leading singers of the city will be among the soloists and the chorus will consist of fifty trained voices. That the splendid programme will be well rendered is the opinion of those who have attended the rehearsals in St. Paul's Hall. A treat will be the address of Attorney J. J. Kavanagh, who will have for his subject "Ireland and Its Music." Rev. Father York, the pastor, has announced that 25 per cent. of the net proceeds will be devoted to the Little Sisters of the Poor. The programme as arranged is as follows:

Chorus—"Erin, the Tear" "The Harp That Once Through Tara's Halls" (Moore).

Piano—Concerto, E Flat (Liszt).

Miss Agnes McGill.

Tenor solo—"Lullaby" (McMrough).

Quartette—"Hall, Glorious Apostle!" Misses Aleene Zix, Anna Zoll, Mary Sheehan and Estelle Fossae.

Barytone solo—"The Kerry Dance" (Molloy).

Violin solo—"The Last Rose of Summer."

Chorus—"Rory O'Moore," Mrs. John Malone.

Male chorus—"The Minstrel Boy" (Moore).

Address—J. J. Kavanagh.

Chorus—"Silent O' Moyle," "Believe Me If All Those Endearing Young Charms" (Moore).

Piano—Concerto, First Movement (Grieg).

Miss Dorcas Reddin.

Soprano solo—"The Fairy Host" (O'Sullivan).

"The Weaving of the Green," Mrs. Jessie Bowman Webb.

Duet—"Salve, Regina," Joseph Heumann and Carl Buderus.

Tenor solo—"At Dawnning" (Cadden).

"Who Knows" (Ball).

"I Hear a Thrush at Eve," Thornton J. Flynn.

"Epithalamion," by request (O'Sullivan).

Douglas Webb, quartette and chorus.

PICTURES OF CHINA.

Rev. Sylvester Espelage, O. F. M., the China missionary who has been here for the past week in aid of the Chinese missions, gave his stereopticon lecture in St. John's church last night and will repeat it tomorrow night in St. Martin's Hall. Father Sylvester